

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

Pan Jin KIM, et al.

Group Art Unit: 2611

Serial No: Divisional of Serial No. 09/179,872

Examiner: R. Brown

Filed: June 6, 2001

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DISPLAYING CHANNEL INFORMATION AND
SELECTING CHANNEL ON DIGITAL TELEVISION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced patent application, the following
amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

IN THE TITLE:

Please **DELETE** the title and substitute therefor --METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
DISPLAYING CHANNEL INFORMATION AND SELECTING CHANNEL ON DIGITAL
TELEVISION--.

IN THE DRAWINGS:

Please **AMEND** FIGS. 1 and 6 of the drawings in accordance with the attached Letter to
the Examiner Requesting Approval of Drawing Changes, filed concurrently herewith.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 1, before the first paragraph starting at line 3, insert the following new paragraph:

-- CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is a Divisional of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/179,872 filed October 28, 1998, the disclosure of which is incorporated herein by reference.--.

Page 1, before line 1, insert --TITLE OF THE INVENTION--;

 line 4, replace "1. Field of the Invention" with --1. Field of the Invention--;

 line 8, replace "2. Description of the Related Art" with --2. Description of the Related Art--;

 line 11, replace "One" with --On--;

 line 15, after "programs" insert a --,-- (a comma); and

 line 16, after "programs" insert a --,-- (a comma).

Page 2, line 13, delete "if".

Page 5, line 14, replace "EMBODIMENT" with --EMBODIMENTS--.

Page 7, line 2, replace "can know" with --includes--.

Page 9, line 1, replace "a" with --the--; and

 line 17, after "and" insert --information--.

Page 11, line 23, after "Thus" insert a --,-- (a comma).

Page 13, line 12, after "TV" insert a --,-- (a comma).

Page 16, line 1, after "in" insert --accordance with--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please **CANCEL** claims 1-14 without prejudice or disclaimer.

REMARKS

In accordance with the foregoing, the specification has been amended hereby to place the application in preferred U.S. format and to improve form, and claims 1-14 have been canceled without prejudice or disclaimer. Approval and entry of the foregoing amendments is respectfully requested. Claims 15 and 16 are pending and under consideration.


FIGS. 1 and 6 of the drawings have been amended hereby, in accordance with the attached Letter to the Examiner Requesting Approval of Changes to the Drawings, filed concurrently herewith, to correct minor informalities noted therein. More specifically, FIG. 1 has been amended to add reference numeral "136" referring to the bus shown in FIG. 1. This change is consistent with the application specification, e.g., page 7, line 16. Further, FIG. 6 has been amended to change "PRE-SSED?" in steps 400 and 408, to --PRESSED?--. No new matter has been added. Approval and entry of the drawing changes are respectfully solicited.

If the Examiner has any remaining issues to be addressed, it is believed that prosecution can be expedited and possibly concluded by the Examiner contacting the undersigned attorney for a telephone interview to discuss any such remaining issues.

If there are any additional fees associated with the filing of this Amendment, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

Respectfully submitted,

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LETTER TO THE EXAMINER REQUESTING
APPROVAL OF CHANGES TO THE DRAWINGS

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Sir:

Please amend FIGS. 1 and 6 in accordance with the red-ink handwritten annotations on the attached copies of the figures. No new matter has been added. Approval and entry of the changes to FIGS. 1 and 6 are respectfully requested.

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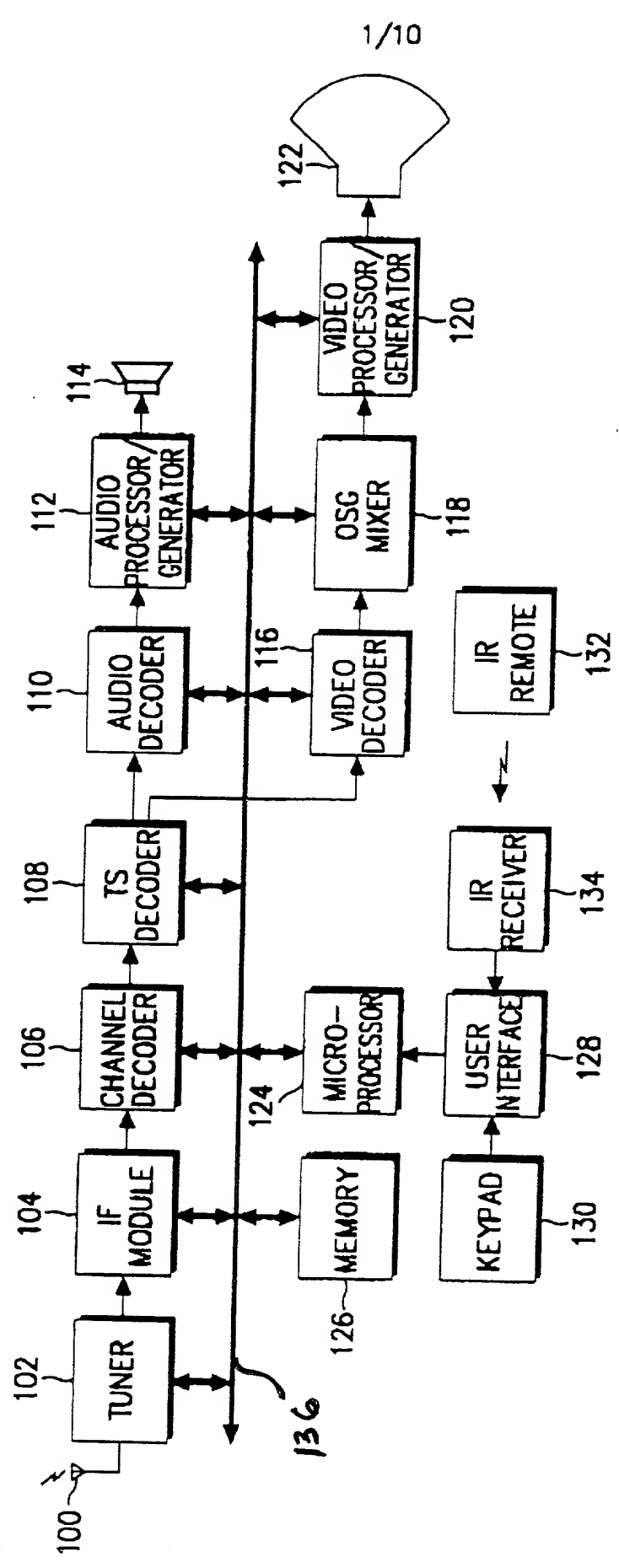


FIG. 1

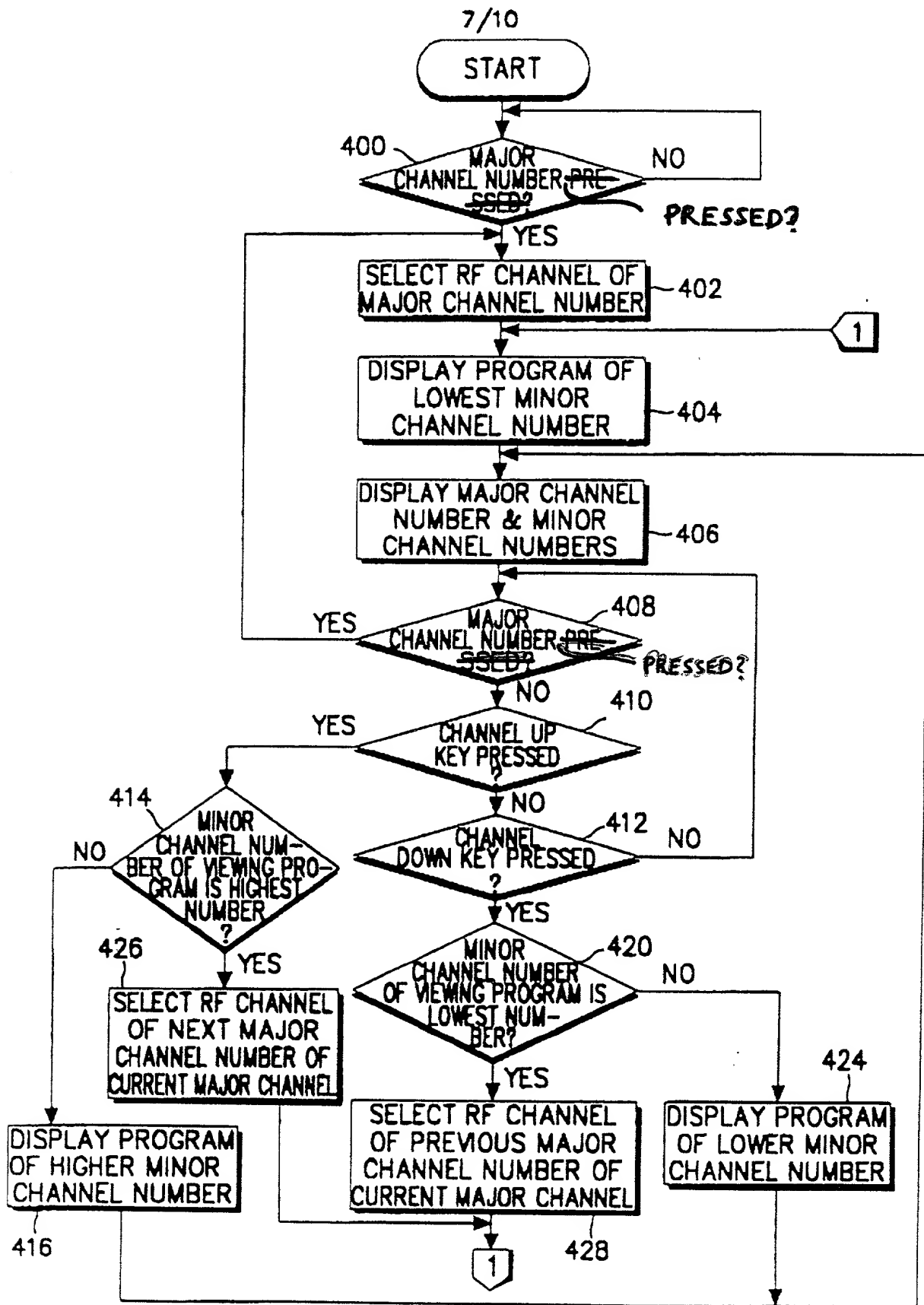


FIG. 6